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Transmitted herewith for filing is the patent application of **Rethel C. King** for **ULTRASOUND SORTING OF WEANLINGS AND IDENTIFICATION OF TENDERNESS INDICATORS**.

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- ☒ combined declaration and power of attorney, signed.
- ☒ utility patent application consisting of 24 pages specification, claims, and abstract and three (3) drawing sheets; and
- ☒ information disclosure statement, PTO1449 and cited references.

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